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Applicant requests that the period for response in the above-identified patent application be extended one month through and including October 20, 2008, the fees for which have been paid at the time this Amendment was filed.

The remarks that follow are submitted for the Examiner's consideration in the subject application in response to the Office Action dated June 20, 2008.